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## Amendments to the specification:

Please amend the abstract as follows:

A flexographic printing plate includes a raised part (2) for transferring a printing substance to a printing substrate, the raised part (2) having a top surface and a side, the top surface and the side forming an angle of not less than 90° and not more than 105°. More preferably, the top surface and the side form an angle of not less than 95° and not more than 100°. A flexographic printer includes a flexographic printing plate as described above.